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6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
7 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
8 AT SEATTLE

9 JAMES HARRIS,

10 Plaintiff,

11 v.

12 EXTENDICARE HOMES, INC., *et al.*,

13 Defendants.
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Case No. C10-5752RBL

ORDER TO SEAL DOCUMENTS
AND FILE REDACTED COPIES
OF SEALED DOCUMENTS

15 This matter comes before the Court *sua sponte*. Defendants filed a motion for
16 partial summary judgment. In support of the motion, they filed the Declaration of Charles
17 Huber, and some of the exhibits to that declaration contain private and personal
18 information that needs to be redacted from public documents.

19 Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 5.2(a) and Local Rule 5.2, parties are
20 to redact the following information from documents and exhibits before they are filed
21 with the court:

22 * Dates of Birth - redact to the year of birth

23 * Names of Minor Children - redact to the initials

24 * Social Security Numbers and Taxpayer Identification Numbers - redact in their
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1 entirety

2 * Financial Accounting Information - redact to the last four digits

3 * Passport Numbers and Driver License Numbers - redact in their entirety

4 All documents filed in the above-captioned matter must comply with Federal Rule
5 of Civil Procedure 5.2 and Local Rule 5.2.

6 In order to restrict access to the private and confidential information that has
7 already made its way into the record, the Clerk of the Court is hereby directed to seal
8 Docket #31, the Declaration of Charles Huber. The parties are directed to promptly
9 review all previously filed documents to ensure that they do not contain additional
10 information that should have been redacted. The parties shall make every effort to avoid
11 such public disclosures of confidential information in the future.

12 As a result of the improper filings, a substantial portion of the record is now
13 sealed, which is inconsistent with the public's right of access. Defendants are therefore
14 ORDERED to file, within ten days of the date of this order, a redacted copy of the
15 declaration and its exhibits. If the parties need assistance in filing and properly labeling
16 the redacted copies, they should contact the CM/ECF Helpdesk at 206-370-8787.

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18 Dated this 27th day of October, 2011.

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22 RONALD B. LEIGHTON
23 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE
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